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FOREST, ENVIRONMENT & CLIMATE CHANGE DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

The 14th March 2024

S.R.O. No. 251/2024—Whereas, Forest Block Lobba PRF under Section 4 of the Odisha Forest Act,1972, has been notified by Government of Odisha, Revenue Department Notification S.R.O. No. 180/81, dated the 16th February 1981 indicating an area of 214 Ac. in Semiliguda Forest Range of Koraput Forest Division as per Annexure-I;

And whereas, the Government of Odisha in the Forest & Environment Department have notified a "Standard Operating Procedure (SOP) for geo-referencing of Forest Block boundary through DGPS Survey" in the *Odisha Gazette* vide Notification No.22572400112016-10F(Cons.)-77/2016-14097-F&E., dated the 4th July 2017, for preparation of such geo-referenced forest maps in pursuance of the directives of Hon'ble Supreme Court in their order dated the 6th July 2011 [in IA Nos. 1868, 2091, 2225-2227, 2380, 2568 and 2937 in Writ Petition (C) No. 202 of 1995-Lafarge matter];

And whereas, the Government of Odisha have appointed all Tehsildars in their respective Tehsil jurisdiction in the respective Districts as Forest Settlement Officer (FSO) vide Notification No. 7767-10F(TR)-38/2020-F&E., dated the 21st May 2020;

And whereas, the Forest Revenue Joint Verification Committee has jointly verified and confirmed the boundary pillar positions as per report in Annexure-II;

And whereas, the Forest Settlement Officer has certified 'No Change' in the boundary extent of Lobba PRF post 25th October 1980. The DGPS survey boundary co-ordinates have been verified by ORSAC and certified by the Forest Settlement Officer. The computed area (UTM Zone 44N projection and WGS 84 datum) of the Lobba PRF is 86.997 ha or 214.97 Ac. The change in area is due to method of Survey & Area Computation.

Therefore, it has been decided to supplement the existing notification of the Lobba PRF with the above-mentioned FSO certified DGPS surveyed Forest Block map as per Annexure-III, and the statement of geo-co-ordinates of the Forest Block boundary pillar positions as per Annexure-IV, which shall be treated as the precise boundary description of the Lobba PRF and shall form an integral part of the original notification in place of any other form of boundary description notified earlier.

There shall be no change to the admitted rights in the original notification.

[No. 5170—FE-DIV-MISC-0011-2016-10F(Cons.)-34/2020-FE&CC.]

By order of the Governor

SATYABRATA SAHU

Additional Chief Secretary to Government

Annexure-I

REVENUE DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

The 16th February 1981

S. R. O. No. 180/81—In exercise of the powers conferred under section 4 of the Orissa Forest Act, 1972 (Orissa Act 14 of 1972), the State Government do hereby declare that it has been proposed to constitute Lobba Forest Block as a reserved forest in Koraput Subdivision in Nandapur police-station in Koraput district the limits of which have been demarcated by cairns and line cleared a width of 20 feet by natural boundary as specified below:—

Name of the Block	Area in Acres	Local name & boundary	Remarks
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
Lobba Block	214	Periphery M. F. Ch. L. 3 3 2 40	This block was notified as a protected land under rule 2 of the Revised Jeypore Forest Rules the agent to the Governor, Vizagputnam hereby sanction the following areas to be protected lands and has been continuing under the Management of the Koraput district. North—Dry cultivated lands and Block Road South—Dry cultivated lands and village Dokarput East—Dry cultivated lands foot path and Nandapur Block and village Lobba. West—Dry cultivated lands, Block Road, P. L road, village Gollaput-Maliaput. Crops—This block contains miscellaneous forest at pole size such as Sahaj Sidha, Horida, Bahada, Jamo, Chor, Mango and other trees.

Pillar No.		Bearing	Distance
From	To	Degrees	Chains
1	2	304	425
2	3	319	245
3	4	328	277
4	5	355	344
5	6	350	1148
6	7	5	247
7	8	20	515
8	9	359	505
9	10	3	780
10	11	340	220
11	12	330	1250
12	13	315	365
13	14	218	912
14	15	218	390
15	16	227	550
16	17	260	164
17	18	160	270
13	19	318	396
19	20	343	750
20	21	344	228

E.O. No. 103—22-1-1982

Pillar No.		Bearing	Distance
From	To	Degrees	Chains
21	22	24	443
22	23	30	318
23	24	47	674
24	25	35	440
25	26	46	500
26	27	26	463
27	28	25	280
28	29	298	280
29	30	15	274
30	31	30	241
31	32	6	203
32	33	60	1037
33	34	101	690
34	35	193	740
35	36	126	670
36	37	165	118
37	38	99	491
38	39	115	565
39	40	193	472
40	41	198	200
41	42	168	1761
42	43	172	500
43	44	180	560
44	45	198	1000
45	46	184	495
46	47	198	462
47	48	134	524
48	49	156	265
49	50	167	227
50	51	205	498
51	52	212	388
52	53	246	850
53	54	259	260
54	1	275	365

2. In exercise of the powers aforesaid the State Government do hereby appoint the Forest Settlement Officer, Koraput to enquire into and determine the existence nature and extent of any rights or privilages claimed by or alleged to exist in favour of any person in or over the lands comprised within the limits specified above or in or over any forest produce to be found thereon and to deal with the same as provided in Chapter II of the said Act.

[No. 9562—F. S.-25/81-R.]
By order of the Governor
J. K. JAGADEV
Under-Secretary to Government

Annexure-II

FOREST REVENUE JOINT VERIFICATION COMMITTEE REPORT

Forest Division: Koraput **Forest Range:** Semiliguda

Minutes of Joint Verification:

List of participation of the Forest-Revenue joint verification committee is given at Table 1.

Joint Verification of the boundary of **Lobba PRF** Forest Block was carried out during 05-03-2020 to 05-03-2020. Existing pillar position recorded through GPS were plotted and compared against geo-referenced cadastral maps of adjoining villages. The verified forest boundary map is enclosed at Plate-1. Findings of the verification w.r.t. revenue cadastral is given below:

- Name of notified forest block: Lobba PRF
- Notification no. & date: SRO.No-180/81 Dt. 16-02-1981
- Area as per notification: 214 Ac.
- Existing no. of boundary demarcations in conformity with adjoining village boundary: 7 nos. (Annexure -1)
- New boundary demarcations in conformity with adjoining village boundary: 27 nos. (Annexure -2)
- GPS area of verified boundary: 87.074 ha
- GPS perimeter of verified boundary: 6.421 km

Observations:

Notification with detailed boundary description with Chainage & Bearing is enclosed at Appendix-1. Traverse Map is not available. The verified boundary area matches with the Notified area (Diff is 0.468 ha, i.e. 0.540 %). Forest boundary demarcation Pillars in Conformity with Cadastral Map, Existing Pillar & HRSI. Change area is due to method of Survey and Area computation.

TABLE - 1

Forest and Revenue department officials(RO/FR/FG/RI/Amin) and TP involved in Joint verification of Forest Boundary

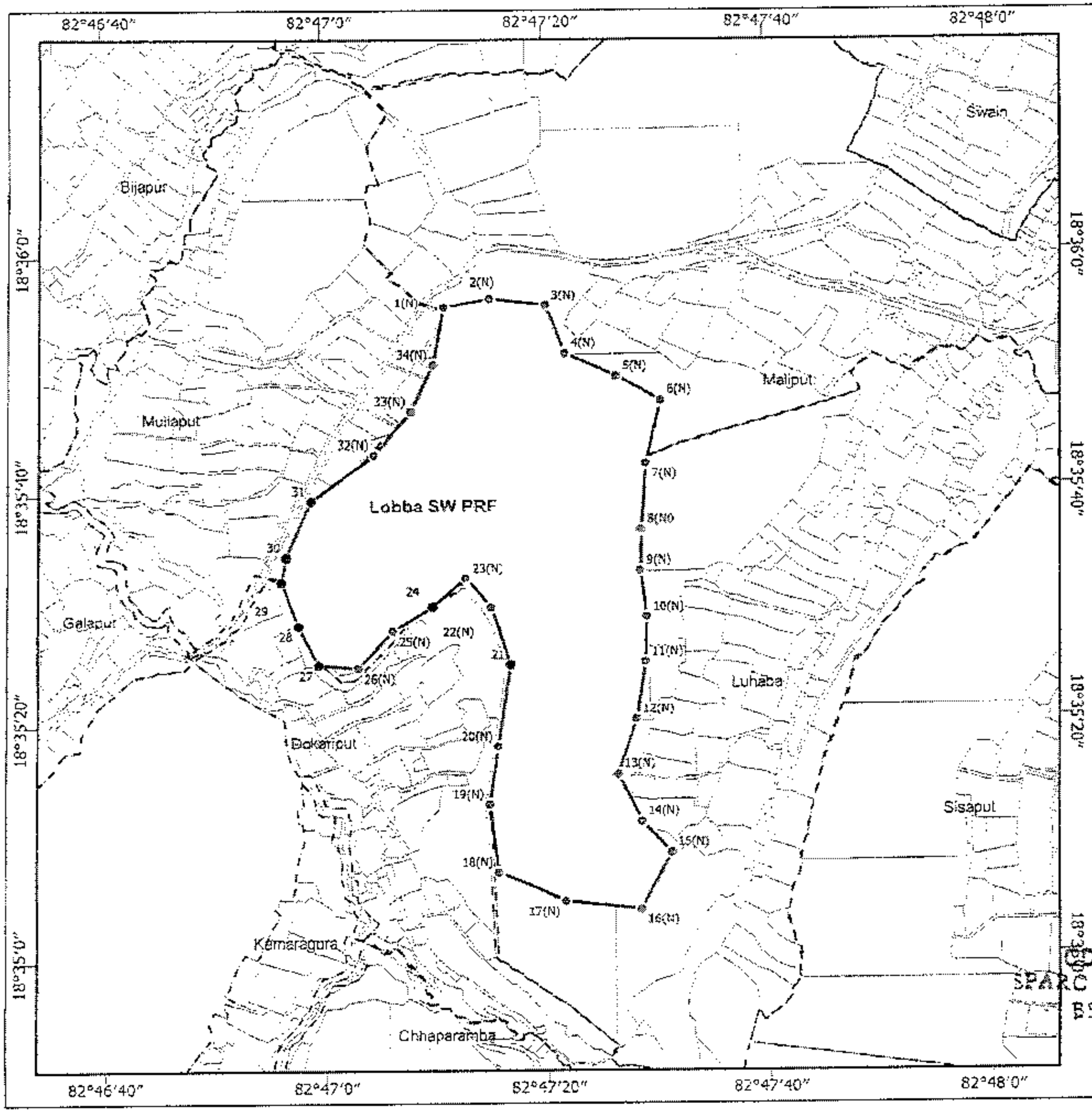
Name	Designation	Signature
Chandrasena Pujari	Forest Range Officer	Forest Range Officer Semiliguda Forest Range
Rajiv lochan Khillo	Forester	Forester Nandapur Section
Mahendra Kumar Mandal	A RI I/c. Khorjee	Revenue Inspector KHORJEE
Satyanarayan das	CDLTP Surveyor	Cdas CDLTP SPARC Pvt. Ltd. - BBSR -

Counter Signed by :

Divisional Forest Officer
Divisional Forest Officer
Koraput Forest Division

Tahasildar
TAHASILDAR
NANDAPUR
9/2020

Annexure-II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18°35'0"
Swain
Bijapur
Mullaput
Maliput
Galapur
Dokariput
Luhaba
Sisaput
Kamaragura
Chhaparamba
Lobba SW PRF
1(N)
2(N)
3(N)
4(N)
5(N)
6(N)
7(N)
8(N0
9(N)
10(N)
11(N)
12(N)
13(N)
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15(N)
16(N)
17(N)
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20(N)
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23(N)
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25(N)
26(N)
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32(N)
23(N)
34(N)

Geo-referencing of Notified Forests in
Koraput Forest Division

Reference Forest Block Boundary Map
w.r.t Adjacent Revenue Village (Cadastral) Boundary
(based on Forest Revenue Jt. Verification)
Lobba SW P.R.F., Semiliguda Range

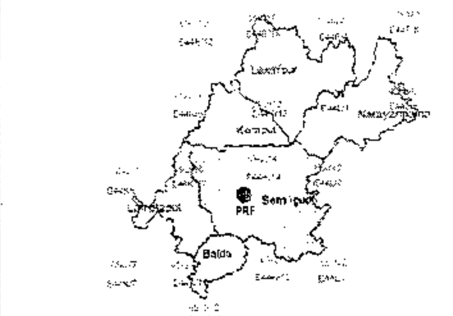
0.1 0 0.1 0.2 0.3 0.4 km
Scale: 1:10,000

Legend

- ● Existing Pillar (7 nos)
- ⊗ New Pillar (27 nos)
- ○ Virtual Pillar (0 nos)
- ☒ Rejected Pillar (0 nos)
- ▭ RF Boundary
- ┆ Village Boundary

Index Map

Koraput Forest Division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Semiliguda
PRF
Baipariguda

Notified Area	=86.606 ha.
GPS area* as per joint verification	=87.074 ha.

(* Projected area in UTM Pq, Zone 44N & WGS 84 Datum)

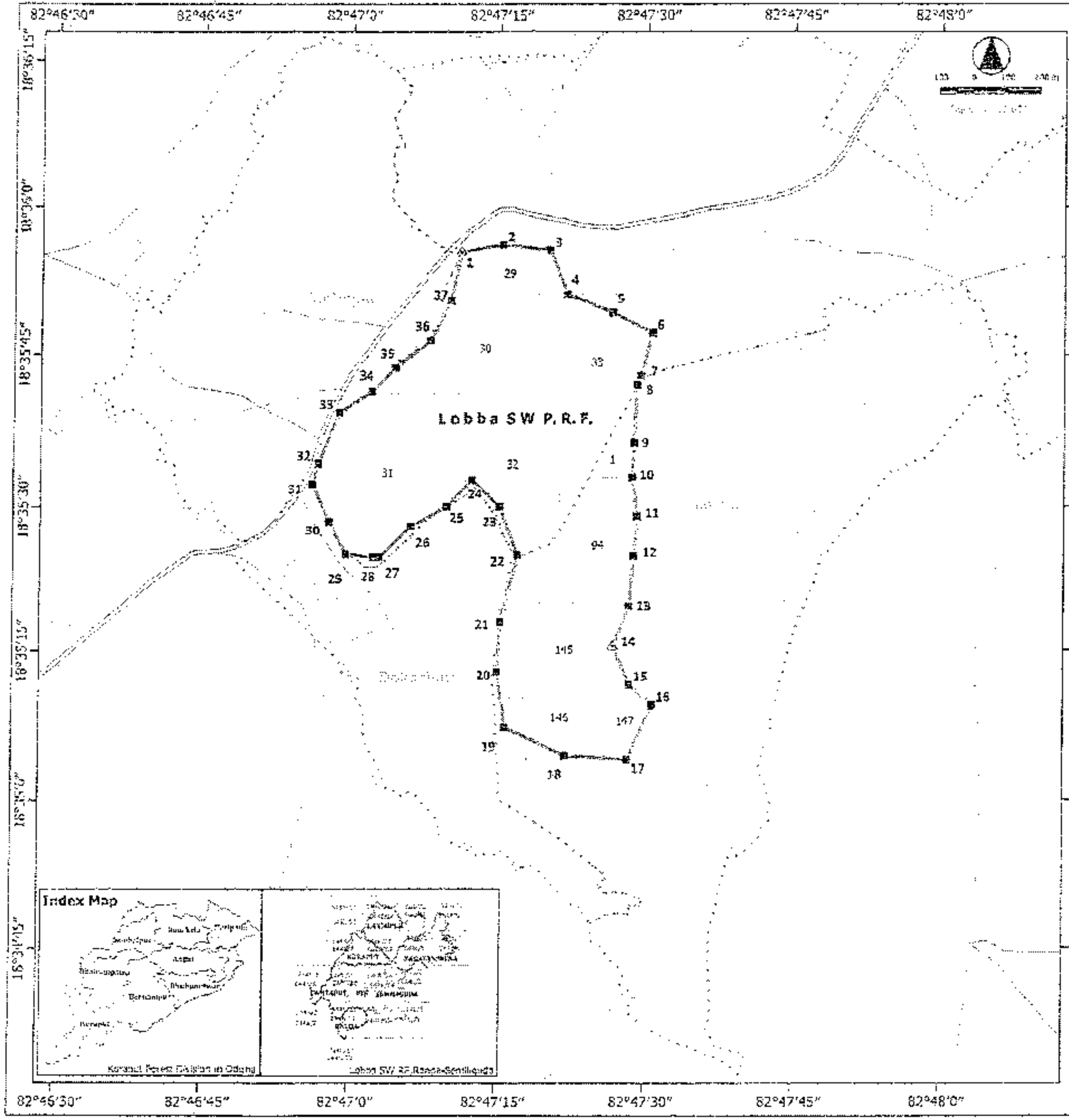
Surveyor (CDLTP) — Forester — Revenue Inspector — Range officer

SPARC P. Ltd.
CDLTP
BSSR

Date: 28-Feb-2020
Prepared by: SPARC Pvt. Ltd. (CDLTP) Koraput Circle

FSO Certified DGPS Surveyed Forest Block Map

Annexure-III



LOBBA SW P.R.F.

Forest Division : KORAPUT, Forest Range : SEMILIGUDA

Geo-referenced Forest Block Map based on DGPS Survey

Legend :-

Forest Boundary Pillar / Virtual Pillar	■ /	Range Boundary	
FPCP on Forest Boundary	△	Railway	
Forest Block Boundary		Major Road	
Revenue Village Boundary		Other Road	
Settlement		River / Stream / WB	

Statement of Geo-coordinates of Pillar Position (UTM Zone:44N, WGS 84 Datum)

[illegible]

Pillar No	Latitude	Longitude	Pillar No	Latitude	Longitude
1(FFCP)	18° 35' 55.31829400"	82° 47' 11.01987600"	20	18° 35' 17.75236000"	82° 47' 14.97364800"
2	18° 35' 56.05743200"	82° 47' 15.16524800"	21	18° 35' 18.05074800"	82° 47' 15.79560000"
3	18° 35' 55.90525600"	82° 47' 20.07502800"	22	18° 35' 24.26732000"	82° 47' 16.94225600"
4	18° 35' 51.07484400"	82° 47' 21.34021000"	23	18° 35' 30.02229600"	82° 47' 15.32205800"
5	18° 35' 49.21559320"	82° 47' 26.53735200"	24	18° 35' 32.07536800"	82° 47' 12.29358200"
6	18° 35' 47.20231200"	82° 47' 29.54793200"	25	[illegible]	82° 47' 9.72580000"
7	18° 35' 42.57535600"	82° 47' 29.41531200"	26	18° 35' 28.20772200"	82° 47' 5.12356000"
8	18° 35' 42.03362800"	82° 47' 29.04432000"	27	18° 35' 24.76009600"	82° 47' 2.30572800"
9	18° 35' 36.35682050"	82° 47' 28.73324800"	28	[illegible]	82° 47' 2.25567600"
10	18° 35' 32.58077600"	82° 47' 28.61352000"	29	18° 35' 25.05549500"	82° 46' 59.46652000"
11	18° 35' 29.21665200"	82° 47' 29.03760000"	30	18° 35' 28.40959400"	82° 46' 57.74729200"
12	18° 35' 24.97274600"	82° 47' 28.76953200"	31	18° 35' 32.27265600"	82° 46' 56.04567600"
13	18° 35' 19.52722400"	82° 47' 25.31160400"	32	18° 35' 34.42307200"	82° 46' 56.64125000"
14(FPCP)	18° 35' 15.60456800"	82° 47' 26.73344400"	33	18° 35' 39.54903200"	82° 46' 56.78560000"
15	18° 35' 11.58795000"	82° 47' 28.40319600"	34	18° 35' 41.47202900"	82° 47' 2.04172800"
16	18° 35' 9.92116050"	82° 47' 30.69754800"	35	18° 35' 43.76202000"	82° 47' 4.42213600"
17	18° 35' 4.03058400"	82° 47' 28.30672400"	36	18° 35' 45.49374800"	82° 47' 9.02546500"
18	18° 35' 4.43864400"	82° 47' 21.63419600"	37	18° 35' 50.39549200"	82° 47' 10.62013600"
19	18° 35' 7.61053200"	82° 47' 15.76157400"			

Differential GPS Surveyed area: 56.997 Ha.

Note:-

1. The pillar locations are as per joint field verification and certification by the Forest - Revenue Joint Verification Committee (FRJVC) on 02-Sept-2020.

2. Above DGPS Coordinates are with respect to Forest Primary Control Point (FPCP) located at Mali Nursery Koraput (FPCP Code: FPF05-005)

FSO's certificate on Final Geo-referenced Notified Forest Block Map

"DGPS surveyed area of Lobba SW PRF situated in the Tahasil of Nandapur and Semiliguda, District Koraput, Odisha, Forest Division, Koraput, Forest Range, Semiliguda is 56.997 Ha. as per geo-coordinates of the boundary pillars computed with respect to the State Ground Control Point Network, extended from National geo-referencing framework in UTM zone 44N Projection and WGS 84 Datum. The forest boundary remains intact since 25th October 1980, which has been jointly verified and certified by the Forest Revenue Joint Verification Committee on 02-Sept-2020. The surveyed map has been finalized after due hearing and disposal of public claims and objections as per provisions of Standard Operating Procedure notified by the Government of Odisha in this regard"

Divisional Forest Officer

Divisional Forest Officer
Koraput Forest Division

F.S.O.
(Tahasildar)

Annexure-IV

STATEMENT OF GEO-COORDINATES OF PILLAR POSITIONS

Forest Division: **Koraput** Forest Range : **Semiliguda** Forest Block Name: **Lobba PRF**

Ground Control Point (GCP) References. (All coordinates in WGS84 datum & UTM Zone 44N projection)

GCP Type	GCP Location	Latitude(DMS)	Longitude(DMS)	Latitude(DD)	Longitude(DD)
FPCP	Semiliguda Range Office	18°42'16.956180"	82°50'39.366564"	18.70471005	82.84426849
FSCP1	Lobba PRF , Pillar No- 1	18°35'55.318164"	82°47'11.019876"	18.59869949	82.78639441
FSCP2	Lobba PRF , Pillar No- 14	18°35'15.404568"	82°47'26.733444"	18.58761238	82.79075929

Geo-coordinates of Boundary Pillar Position (Total: 37 nos.)

Pillar No	Latitude(DMS)	Longitude(DMS)	Latitude(DD)	Longitude(DD)
1	18°35'55.318164"	82°47'11.019876"	18.59869949	82.78639441
2	18°35'56.067432"	82°47'15.265248"	18.59890762	82.78757368
3	18°35'55.505256"	82°47'20.075028"	18.59875146	82.78890973
4	18°35'51.074844"	82°47'21.840216"	18.59752079	82.78940006
5	18°35'49.213536"	82°47'26.537352"	18.59700376	82.79070482
6	18°35'47.202612"	82°47'30.547032"	18.59644517	82.79181862
7	18°35'42.976356"	82°47'29.415912"	18.59527121	82.79150442
8	18°35'42.023328"	82°47'29.044320"	18.59500648	82.79140120
9	18°35'36.356820"	82°47'28.738248"	18.59343245	82.79131618
10	18°35'32.989776"	82°47'28.619520"	18.59249716	82.79128320
11	18°35'29.018652"	82°47'29.097600"	18.59139407	82.79141600
12	18°35'24.872748"	82°47'28.769532"	18.59024243	82.79132487
13	18°35'19.627224"	82°47'28.311504"	18.58878534	82.79119764
14	18°35'15.404568"	82°47'26.733444"	18.58761238	82.79075929
15	18°35'11.587956"	82°47'28.403196"	18.58655221	82.79122311
16	18°35'9.521160"	82°47'30.697548"	18.58597810	82.79186043
17	18°35'4.030584"	82°47'28.206024"	18.58445294	82.79116834
18	18°35'4.438644"	82°47'21.833196"	18.58456629	82.78939811
19	18°35'7.313532"	82°47'15.781524"	18.58536487	82.78771709
20	18°35'12.892560"	82°47'14.925048"	18.58691460	82.78747918
21	18°35'18.050748"	82°47'15.235620"	18.58834743	82.78756545
22	18°35'24.967320"	82°47'16.940256"	18.59026870	82.78803896
23	18°35'30.022296"	82°47'15.120096"	18.59167286	82.78753336
24	18°35'32.675388"	82°47'12.293592"	18.59240983	82.78674822
25	18°35'30.039072"	82°47'9.736800"	18.59167752	82.78603800
26	18°35'28.007772"	82°47'6.133560"	18.59111327	82.78503710
27	18°35'24.786096"	82°47'2.905728"	18.59021836	82.78414048
28	18°35'24.783900"	82°47'2.255676"	18.59021775	82.78395991
29	18°35'25.059696"	82°46'59.466900"	18.59029436	82.78318525
30	18°35'28.498992"	82°46'57.747792"	18.59124972	82.78270772
31	18°35'32.272656"	82°46'56.045676"	18.59229796	82.78223491
32	18°35'34.423872"	82°46'56.642232"	18.59289552	82.78240062
33	18°35'39.349932"	82°46'58.785600"	18.59426387	82.78299600

Pillar No	Latitude(DMS)	Longitude(DMS)	Latitude(DD)	Longitude(DD)
34	18°35'41.422020"	82°47'2.041728"	18.59483945	82.78390048
35	18°35'43.762092"	82°47'4.422156"	18.59548947	82.78456171
36	18°35'46.481748"	82°47'8.005668"	18.59624493	82.78555713
37	18°35'50.395452"	82°47'10.022136"	18.59733207	82.78611726

*** END of Statement***

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